

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 1, 2024

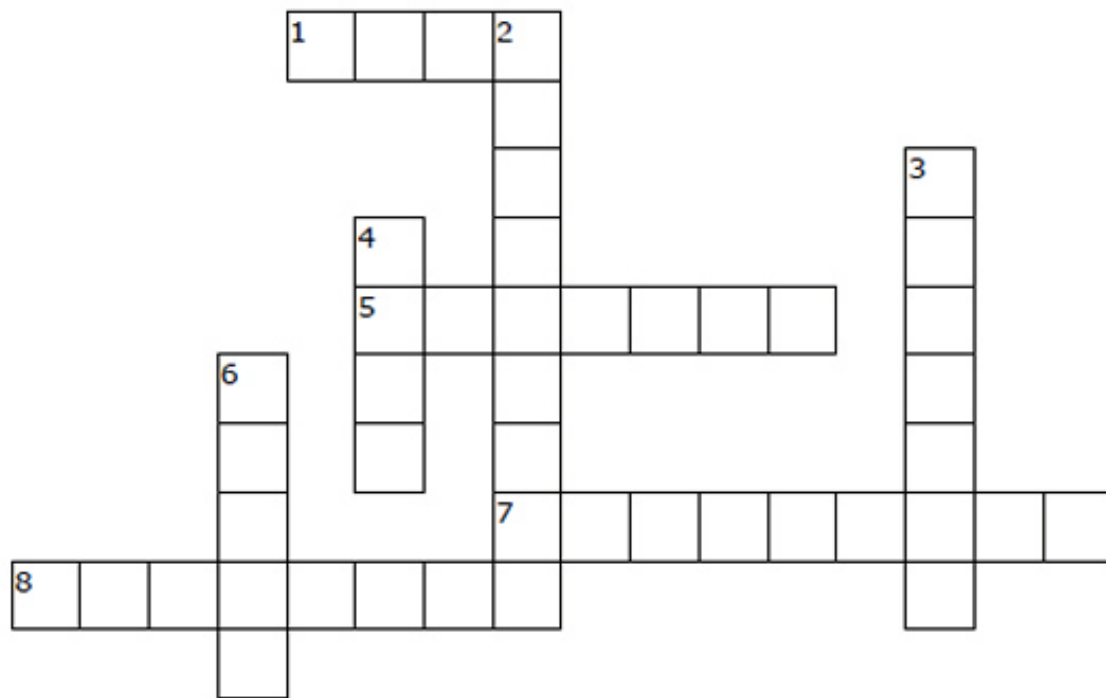
Mark 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23



"Skin Deep" Religion

These people honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me. Mark 7:6b (NIV)

Puzzle is based on Mark 7:1-8



ACROSS

1. To clean something, usually with soap and water
5. Foul or dirty; ritually impure
7. An established custom or habit
8. A member of a Jewish sect that emphasized strict observance of the Mosaic law

DOWN

2. Someone who pretends to be something he is not
3. To honor and show love to God
4. A principle that guides our behavior
6. The organ that pumps blood throughout the body

TRADITION
PHARISEE

HEART
RULE

UNCLEAN
HYPOCRITE

WASH
WORSHIP

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G R G N G I L O O M I J C M Q
U O I H T R A D I T I O N U T
N H I M H O L I P S F O O D N
C Z O F K E T T L E S V H D K
L W V S T E A Y K C G S N L V
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HYPOCRITES
PITCHERS
LIPS

RULES
HEARTS
FOOD

TRADITION
UNCLEAN
HANDS

KETTLES
WASH
WORSHIP

EATING
ELDERS
HONOR

Clean or Unclean?

So the Pharisees and teachers of the law asked Jesus, "Why don't your disciples live according to the tradition of the elders instead of eating their food with 'unclean' hands?" Mark 7:5 (NIV)

Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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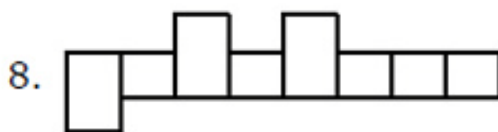
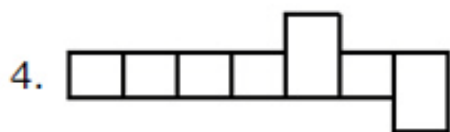
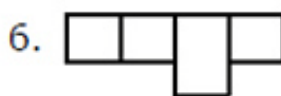
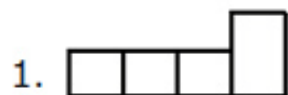
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- 24-10-19-16 _____
- 2-10-13-3-17-22 _____
- 16-2-10-5-13 _____
- 24-18-5-19-16-3-4 _____
- 1-8-2-10-17 _____
- 5-21-8-2-19 _____

HEART	CLEAN	HANDS	WORSHIP
HONOR	RULES	WASH	EATING

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Enter the correct words in the boxes based on the shape of the letters.



worship
cups

heart
wash

pitchers
unclean

kettles
hands

"Skin Deep" Religion

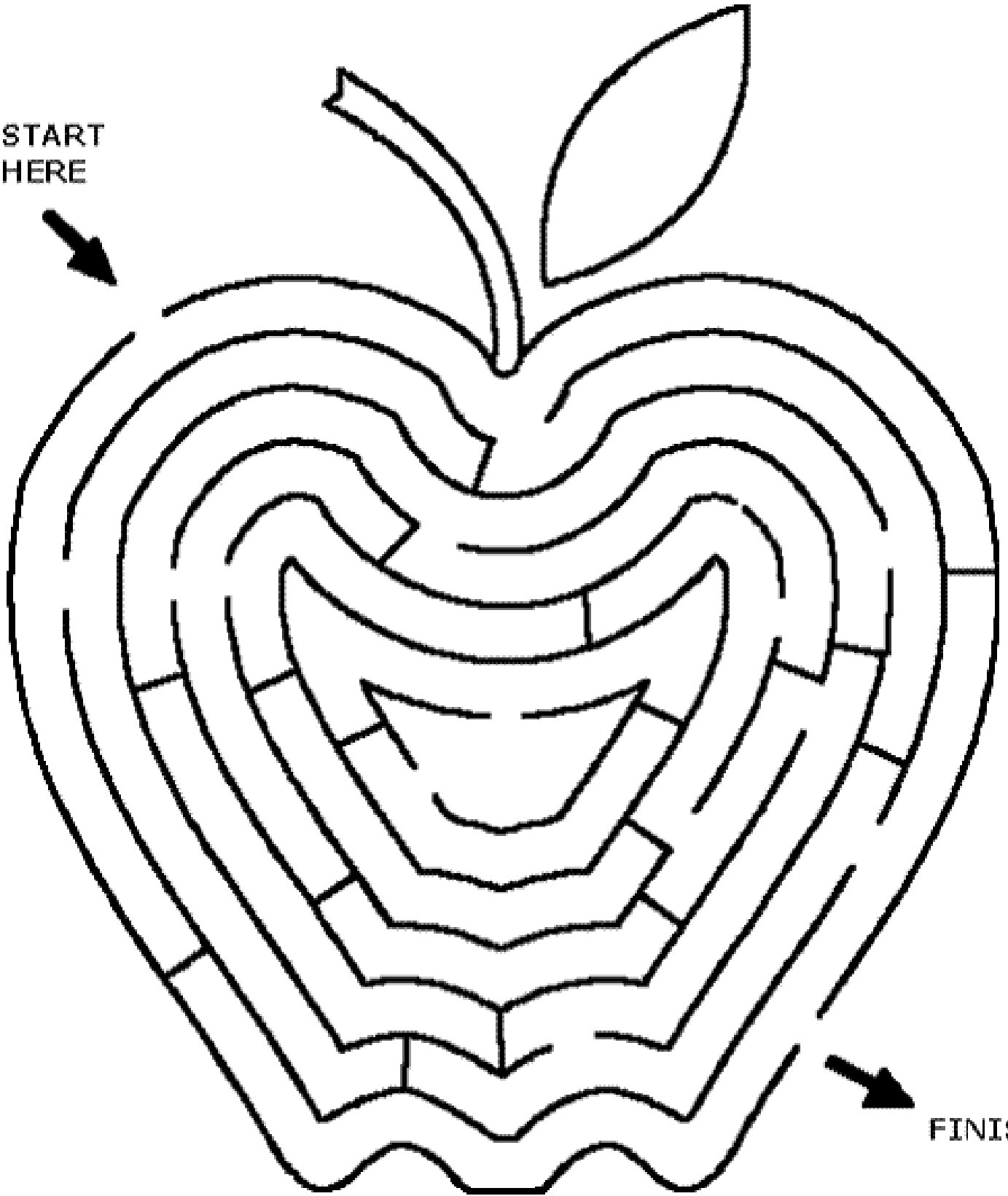
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Choose the word that best matches the definition.
Answers can be found in Mark 7:1-8



- ___ 1. Foul or dirty; ritually impure
A. worship B. unclean C. heart D. hypocrite
- ___ 2. To honor and show love to God
A. rule B. tradition C. worship D. wash
- ___ 3. An established custom or habit
A. hypocrite B. unclean C. rule D. tradition
- ___ 4. A principle that guides our behavior
A. Pharisee B. unclean C. tradition D. rule
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- ___ 6. A member of a Jewish sect that emphasized strict observance of the Mosaic law
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- ___ 7. To clean something, usually with soap and water
A. worship B. wash C. heart D. unclean
- ___ 8. Someone who pretends to be something he is not
A. hypocrite B. tradition C. unclean D. Pharisee

START
HERE



FINISH



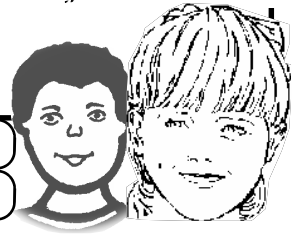
Speak, Lord

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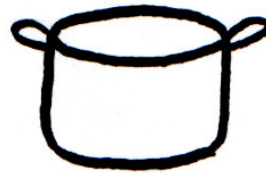
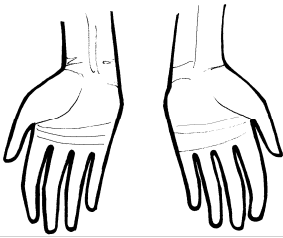
Deuteronomy 4:1-2.6-8
Psalm 14
James 1:17-18.21-22.27
Mark 7:1-8.14-15.21-23

SUNDAY LITURGY FOR CHILDREN

Year B — 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

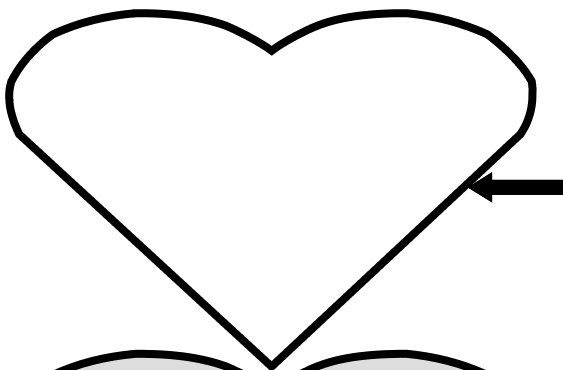


The Pharisees were always keen to have clean hands, clean cups, clean pots and dishes ...

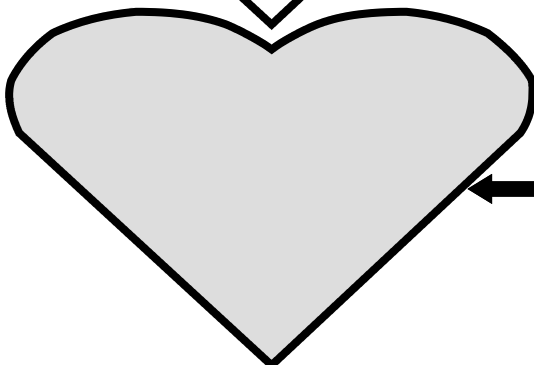
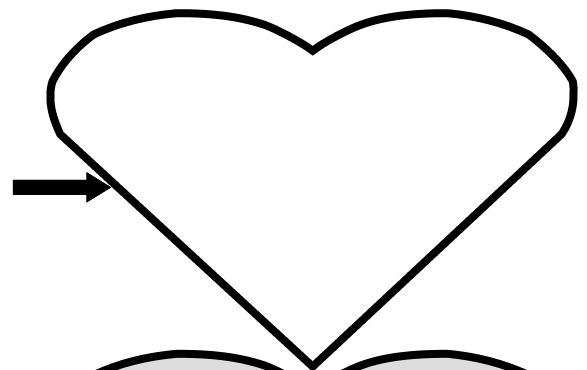


JESUS SAID:
"Make sure you have
A CLEAN HEART

In the little hearts below draw pictures or write about what it means to have:



A clean heart



An unclean heart

